

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ERIN R. AMIE,

Plaintiff,

v.

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
CORRECTIONS AND
REHABILITATION, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:20-cv-0244-AWI-JLT (PC)

**ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION
FOR PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR**

(Doc. 17)

Plaintiff moves for the appointment of a private investigator pursuant to California Penal Code § 987.9. That state statutory provision provides for the appointment of an investigator, expert, or other for the preparation or presentation of the defense in the trial of a capital case or the trial of second degree murder for someone who has served a prior prison term for murder in the first or second degree. Since neither of those scenarios are applicable in this civil case, the Court **DENIES** Plaintiff's motion for a private investigator.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: July 28, 2020

/s/ Jennifer L. Thurston
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE